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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
DETECTING AND VIEWING SIMILAR  
PROGRAMS WITHIN A VIDEO SYSTEM

Group Art Unit: 2711  
Examiner: TO BE DETERMINED

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

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☒ Transmitted herewith for filing are the declarations of inventors: Jeffrey A. Brown, Philip E. Hsiao and Craig A. Finseth.

☐ Transmitted herewith for filing are  sheet(s) of formal drawings.

☒ The filing fee for this application is calculated below, and has been previously paid:

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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*Filing Date Granted*

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- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

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